GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4052
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PREVEANTION OF ATROACITIES AGAINST SC/ST
LAXMINARAYAN PANDEY

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the funds provided by the Union Government to the Madhya Pradesh Governmentunder prevention of atrocities committed against Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes during the financial year 2001-2002;

(b) whether this fund was fully utilized by the State Government;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) if not, the reasons threrfor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRI S. B. MOOKHERJEE)

(a) Central Assistance of Rs. 812.86 lakhs was provided to State Government ofMadhya Pradesh during 2001-2002 under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme forimplementation of Protection of Civil rights Act, 1955 and the Scheduled Castesand the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989.

(b) to (d) The Central Assistance utilizationduring 2001-2002 of the State Governmentunder the scheme works out to Rs.875.19 lakhs. The variation in central assistance released and utilized during a financial year is on account of difference in the expenditure anticipated by the State Government vis-a-vis the actual expenditure incurred.